Oct. 31. 2007 4:25 PM MacPherson, Kwok, Chen & Heid App. Sci. No. 057021,825 Amendment dated Oct. 31, 2007 Reply to final Office action of Aug. 27, 2007

REMARKS/ARGUMENTS

The above amendment and the following remarks accompany a request for continued examination (RCE) in this application and are in reply to the final Office action of 08/27/2007. In light of this reply, reconsideration and further examination of this application are respectfully requested.

Twelve claims (1, 5, 9, 11-13 and 18-23) were pending in this application. In the above amendment, three claims (1, 5 and 18) were amended, and none was added or cancelled. Accordingly, 12 claims (1, 5, 9, 11-13 and 18-23) are now presented for reconsideration and further examination.

Initially, Applicant expresses appreciation for the courtesy and helpfulness extended by the Examiner during the telephonic interview conducted with the undersigned on October 31, 2007, wherein the appropriateness of the holding of finality of the 08/27/2007 Office action, together with the basis for the objections and rejections under 37 C.F.R. 1.83(a) and 35 U.S.C. 112 1st and 2nd paragraphs raised by the Examiner therein were discussed.

In section 2 of the final Office action, the Examiner objected to the drawings under 37 CFR 1.83(a), stating that the drawings must show every feature of the invention specified in the claims, and that the limitation, "an information processing module disposed in a receiving space formed by the mold frame and the chassis" presently recited in lines 11-12 of claims 1 and 5 and lines 9-10 of claim 18, must be shown or the feature(s) canceled from the claim(s).

Responsively, in the above amendment, independent claims 1, 5 and 18 have been amended as suggested by the Examiner to overcome this objection and to obviate the need for new drawings.

In section 4 of the Office action, claims 1, 5, 9, 11-13 and 18-23 were rejected under 35 U.S.C. 112, second paragraph, as being indefinite for failing to particularly point out and distinctly claim the subject matter which applicant regards as the invention, on the grounds that, the recited limitation, "an information processing module mounted on (or attached to) a rear surface of the mold frame and disposed in a receiving space formed by the mold frame and the chassis becoming gradually thinner" in lines 11-13 of claims 1 and 5 and in lines 9-11 of claim 18, it is not clear what becomes gradually thinner, i.e., the chassis, the mold frame, both the chassis and the mold frame, or other becoming gradually thinner.

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Responsively, independent claims 1, 5 and 18 have been amended in the above amendment to eliminate the subject limitation and thereby overcome this rejection.

In section 6, the Examiner rejected claims 1, 5, 9, 11-13 and 18-23 under 35 U.S.C. 112, first paragraph, as failing to comply with the written description requirement, stating that the claim(s) contains subject matter, which was not described in the specification in such a way as to reasonably convey to one skilled in the relevant art that the inventor(s), at the time the application was filed, had possession of the claimed invention, and in particular, as to claims 1, 5 and 18, the disclosure, when filed, does not fairly convey to one of ordinary skill in the art that applicants had in their possession the claimed limitation, "an information processing module disposed in a receiving space formed by the mold frame and the chassis" presently recited in lines 11-12 of claims 1 and 5 and lines 9-10 of claim 18.

Responsively, as above, independent claims 1, 5 and 18 have been amended to conform to the invention as described in the specification, and in particular, to Fig. 9 thereof, wherein the information processing module is disposed in a recess or opening at the rear surface of the mold frame, and not in a receiving space formed by or between the mold frame and chassis, as the Examiner pointed out.

In light of the foregoing reply, it is respectfully submitted that claims 1, 5, 9, 11-13 and 18-23 are now allowable, both as to form, and over the art of record. Applicant therefore respectfully requests that a timely Notice of Allowance be issued in this case.

If there are any questions regarding this Reply, the Examiner is invited to contact the undersigned at the number indicated below.

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